

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

STATUS OF THE CLAIMS

Claims 1, 3-6, 12-15, 17, 19-23, and 25 are allowed. Claims 22 and 23 are cancelled herein due to redundancy and incorrect antecedent basis. The current changes do not add new matter in any way. Applicants respectfully request entry of the Amendment prior to issuance of the above-identified application and note that these changes are made without prejudice.

AMENDMENTS

The current changes are to remove incorrect antecedent basis and redundancy in claims 22 and 23. The current changes are merely administrative in nature and present no new matter. Therefore, Applicants respectfully request entry of the Amendment prior to issuance of the above-identified application.

Additionally, formal drawings are submitted herewith.

If it is believed that a telephone conference would expedite issuance of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 510-769-3507.

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